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For: Frangible Fiberglass Insulation Batts

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**PETITION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

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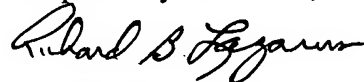
Sir:

Petitioner, Applicant in the above-identified application, hereby requests that the response to the outstanding Office Action submitted herewith be accepted pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). The outstanding Office Action was issued on January 11, 2005, the initial period for a response expiring April 11, 2005.

As required, the appropriate fee of \$450.00 specified in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 for a two-month extension is submitted herewith. Please credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees to the Deposit Account of Barnes & Thornburg, Account Number 02-1010 (20121-72276).

The requirements of the Code of Federal Regulations having been met, acceptance of the accompanying document is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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